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CONNECTION VIA A SWITCHING POP (as amended)

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AMENDMENT

In response to the final Office Action (Paper No. 7) dated <u>June 1, 2004</u>, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

No amendments to the claims are made; however a listing of pending claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.